

## ATTY. GEN. STEAD SPEAKS IN DIXON TOMORROW NIGHT AT ARMORY

## STEAD WILL BE HERE ALL DAY TOMORROW

DIXON WILL BE SCENE OF BIG REPUBLICAN RALLY TOMORROW EVENING.

## ATTY. GEN. WILL TOUR COUNTY TOMORROW

Eight Speeches Will Be Made and many republicans Will Go on the Trip—Republican Speeches Tomorrow Night in Armory at Dixon—Dickison in County Saturday.

Tomorrow night is the night of the republican rally in Dixon, when Attorney General Wm. H. Stead will be the main speaker. Tomorrow is also the day for the tour through the county of Attorney General Stead and the local republican candidates. Mr. Stead will make eight speeches in the county tomorrow, in as many towns, starting in with Amboy at 10 o'clock in the morning and finishing up in Dixon with a big rally and some good old rock-ribbed republican speeches in the Armory, the republican headquarters in this city.

It is expected that there will be several automobile loads of republicans on the trip through the county and good meetings are anticipated. Mr. Stead is a very good talker and a man who has a wonderfully large circle of friends who swear by him.

Attorney General Stead will open his tour with his first speech Thursday at Amboy, at 10 a. m. Considerable time will be devoted to the Amboy speech, and so, in fact, to all the speeches, for the itinerary gives ample time.

## Speaking Time.

Thursday, Oct. 24.

Amboy ..... 10:00 a. m.  
West Brooklyn ..... 11:30 a. m.  
Compton (dinner) ..... 1:00 p. m.  
Pawpaw ..... 2:00 p. m.  
Steward ..... 3:30 p. m.  
Ashton ..... 5:00 p. m.  
Franklin Grove ..... 6:00 p. m.  
Dixon ..... 8:00 p. m.

The meeting at Dixon of course will be the big meeting of the trip for more time will be devoted to speaking. The republican headquarters in the Armory are warm and comfortable, and chairs will be provided for all. Every man, woman and child will be welcome, regardless of political faith. Ladies are especially invited.

## Dickison Here Saturday.

On Saturday, Oct. 26, Lee count will again be honored by a visit from Adjutant General Dickison who is well known here because of his connection with the I. N. G. encampment here a year ago last summer.

General Dickison will make three political speeches in the county Saturday. He will open his trip in Ashland with a speech at 1:30 p. m. The next stop will be in Amboy, where the general will talk to the voters at 3:30 p. m. and the trip will end with a big Saturday night meeting in Dixon, at republican headquarters. This meeting Saturday night should be one of the largest of the campaign.

## HAS FINE PANTATORIUM.

Charles Larkin has installed a number of new machines in his pantatorium on Hennepin avenue which according to his patrons, do excellent work, and the young man, who has but recently engaged in the business, is rapidly working up a good trade.

## WEST BROOKLYN VS. HARMON.

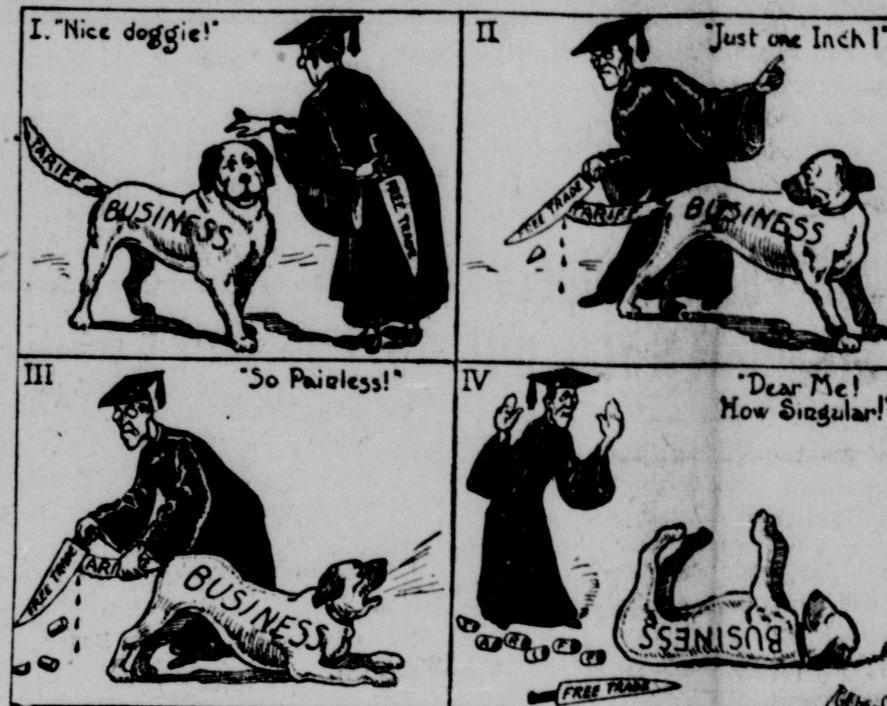
West Brooklyn, Oct. 23—Special to Telegraph—There will be a big football game here Saturday, Oct. 26. The West Brooklyn high school football team will meet the Harmon high school eleven on the local gridiron. It will be a fight to a finish and considerable gore will be found on the battlefield when the smoke rolls away.

## ABE MARTIN



## DR. WILSON'S REMARKABLE SURGICAL FEAT!

REMOVING THE DOG'S TAIL ONE INCH AT A TIME SO AS NOT TO HURT THE DOG.



"We do not ignore the fact that the business of a country like ours is exceedingly sensitive; but we shall not on that account act with timidity as if we did not know our minds. . . . There should be an immediate revision and it should be downward, unhesitatingly and steadily downward."—Woodrow Wilson.

—From American Industries.

## CUBS ARRIVED HERE AT NOON

## MEN'S CLUB WILL MEET ON FRIDAY

The Chicago Cubs, the most talked of team in either league, arrived in Dixon at 12:10 o'clock this noon and the players were taken to the Dixon Inn where they had dinner before proceeding to Athletic park where, before the biggest crowd that has attended a ball game in this city for years, they engaged the All-Stars, gathered by Chas. Miller in the muchly advertised game which has kept Dixon fans talking for weeks.

Practically all of Dixon and a great part of the surrounding territory was present at the contest, when at 2 o'clock Umpire J. J. Clancy announced the batteries and gave the call which set the crowd in tip-toe, "Play ball." Schools, business houses, banks, offices and practically every institution in the city was closed for the big event. The boys who got out the Telegraph came to work early this morning, that they might get their work finished and see the game.

## RETURNED FROM SYNOD LAST EVENING

Rev. F. D. Altman, returned last evening from a meeting of the Lutheran Synod of Northern Illinois. Dr. Altman reports the convening of the Synod as a most interesting and successful one and that it was well attended.

## BIG NIGHT AT BASE BALL BAZAR

The Chicago Cubs and Dixon All Star ball teams, and all the local fans will attend the bazar tonight at Rosbrook's hall, the bazar now being in full swing. Excellent music to dance by, the Marquette orchestra.

## ZOELLER MOVES HIS STORE DOWN TOWN

Edward Zoeller has leased the store room of the new Bardwell building on First street, which is rapidly nearing completion, and will as soon as the rooms are ready for occupancy, move his novelty store from Dementtown downtown. He will increase his stock and plans to have one of the most complete stores in the northern part of the state.

## ELDENA LADD FRACTURED ARM

Walter, the four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Moseman, who lives west of Eldena, fell from a hay rack on which he was riding Monday afternoon, and suffered a fracture of the left arm. A Dixon physician was called and reduced the fracture.

## LICENCED TO WED

A marriage license has been issued to Samuel W. McMichael of New Orleans, La., and Mrs. Maude Miller of Dixon.

## OPENING WAS A SUCCESS

The grand opening of the new Athenian Candy Kitchen was held Saturday and Sunday, and during those days and evenings hundreds of patrons visited and admired the new place, which is among the most complete and modern in this section of the state.

Attorney General Stead will be the speaker at the big republican meeting at the Armory tomorrow evening.

## CUBS BLANK DIXON ALL-STARS IN A SLOW GAME TODAY

LOCALS COULD DO NOTHING WITH THREE CUB PITCHERS—SCORE, 4 TO 0.

## LANGE AND MILLER PITCHED FOR DIXON

Chance's Machine Was Impregnable Large Crowd Saw Game—Chicago Players at Bazaar and Elks Club Tonight.

1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-R. H. E.  
CUBS 0-2-1-1-0-0-0-0-4-11-3  
DIX- 0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-5-3

4 P. M.

The Cubs easily defeated the Dixon All-Stars this afternoon by a 4 to 0 score, and if the National leaguers had extended themselves the score would certainly have been considerably larger. The story of the game:

## First Inning.

Cubs—Sheckard was safe on Cutshaw's error but was forced at second, after Miller flied out, on a fast double play on Tinker's roller to short, Cutshaw to Blake to Tracey. NO RUNS. NO HITS.

Dixon—Crangle flied to center. Leonard was safe on Zimmerman's error but was forced at second. Cheney to Evers. Cutshaw was forced at second, Tinker to Evers. NO RUNS. NO HITS.

## Second Inning

Cubs—Zimmerman cleared the trees along the river in left field, the hit being limited to two bases by the ground rules. Schulte went out Kerna to Tracey. Saier lifted a long double into center which Crangle made a valiant effort for, scoring Zimmerman. Evers rolled to Blake who threw Saier out at the plate. Archer doubled into center. Cheney singled but Leonard threw Archer out at the plate when he tried to score. TWO RUNS. FOUR HITS.

Dixon—Tracey and Blake fanned. Lange singled but was left on first when Fingal flied out to Saier. NO RUNS. ONE HIT.

## Third Inning

Cubs—Sheckard was called out on Miller doubled into left. Tinker flied to Crangle. Zimmerman doubled again into center, scoring Miller. Schulte went out on a foul to Fingal. ONE RUN. TWO HITS.

Dixon—Miller and Crangle were called out on strikes. Leonard fanned. NO RUNS. NO HITS.

## Fourth Inning

Cubs—Saier drew a base on balls. Evers singled into left but Leonard threw Saier out at third. Archer flied to Blake. Cutshaw booted Reulbach's grounder and he was safe. Sheckard singled into center and Evers scored when Crangle let it go through him. ONE RUN. TWO HITS. TWO ERRORS.

Dixon—Cutshaw singled to right. Kerna forced Cutshaw. Evers to Zimmerman who was switched to short in the fourth inning, but Kerna was safe on Zimmerman's heave into the crowd back of first. Tracey singled and stole. Kerna was caught stealing Archer to Tinker. NO RUNS. TWO HITS. ONE ERROR.

## Fifth Inning

Cubs—Tinker fanned. Zimmerman out Cutshaw to Tracey. Schulte drew a pass and went to second on a wild pitch. Saier out Blake to Tracey. NO RUNS. NO HITS.

Dixon—Lange flied to center. Fingal safe on Saier's error. Miller drew a pass. Crangle fanned and Leonard flied to Miller. NO RUNS. NO HITS. ONE ERROR.

## Sixth Inning

Cubs—Tinker fanned. Zimmerman out Cutshaw to Tracey. Schulte drew a pass and went to second on a wild pitch. Saier out Blake to Tracey. NO RUNS. NO HITS.

Dixon—Lange flied to center. Fingal safe on Saier's error. Miller drew a pass. Crangle fanned and Leonard flied to Miller. NO RUNS. NO HITS. ONE ERROR.

## Seventh Inning

Cubs—Sheckard out, Cutshaw to Tracey. Miller called out on strikes. Tinker out Tracey to Lange. NO RUNS. NO HITS.

## Eighth Inning

Cubs—Sheckard is pitching for Cubs. Blake out Evers to Saier. Lange doubles into right. Fingal walks. Miller called out on strikes. Crangle flied to Schulte. NO RUNS. NO HITS.

## Ninth Inning

Cubs—Cotter singles into right, but lets himself be caught trying to steal. Fingal to Blake. Leifield fans. Sheckard out Blake to Saier. NO RUNS. NO HITS.

## Tenth Inning

Cubs—Cotter singles into right, but lets himself be caught trying to steal. Fingal to Blake. Leifield fans. Sheckard out Blake to Saier. NO RUNS. NO HITS.

## Eleventh Inning

Cubs—Cotter singles into right, but lets himself be caught trying to steal. Fingal to Blake. Leifield fans. Sheckard out Blake to Saier. NO RUNS. NO HITS.

## Twelfth Inning

Cubs—Cotter singles into right, but lets himself be caught trying to steal. Fingal to Blake. Leifield fans. Sheckard out Blake to Saier. NO RUNS. NO HITS.

## Thirteenth Inning

Cubs—Cotter singles into right, but lets himself be caught trying to steal. Fingal to Blake. Leifield fans. Sheckard out Blake to Saier. NO RUNS. NO HITS.

## MISS FLORA WILSON



## ASK FOR ESTIMATES ON MUCH BRICK WORK

THE BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IS TAKING STEPS TO HAVE MUCH WORK STARTED EARLY NEXT SPRING.

## WILL BRICK MANY NEEDS STREETS

Assessment Rolls Will Be Cast and Public Hearings Held This Winter—Plan Is Good One and It Is Hoped Will Result in Many Paved Streets.

The board of local improvements has instructed City Engineer Nesbit to prepare estimates on a great deal of street work. At yesterday's meeting of the board Mr. Nesbit was instructed to prepare estimates on the cost of paving Third street from Galena avenue west to Douglas avenue; Second street from Galena to Monroe; First street from Ottawa to the hospital; River street from Hennepin to Ravine avenue; Crawford, Ottawa, Hennepin and Peoria avenues from First street to River street, and North Galena avenue from Fellows street north to the city limits.

In addition the board asked for estimates on considerable macadam work, the most important of which is on College avenue from Second street south to Sixth, and on Sixth from College avenue to Depot avenue. The work was all contemplated by the board last winter and at that time it was hoped that it would all be accomplished by this time.

## Get Court Work Completed.

However, it is the intention of the commissioners to go ahead with the preliminary work this summer, thus making it possible for the assessment rolls to be cast, the public hearings held and all court proceedings completed by spring, when the contracts could be let and work started at once.

## SUCCESS OF FAIR IS NOW ASSURED

## LARGE CROWDS ATTENDING FANS' BAZAR SHOW LOYAL SUPPORT.

The success of the Dixon Stars' Fans' fair is assured, if the size and enthusiasm of the crowds which attended the bazaar last evening is any criterion. Over 100 couples attended last night and the dance floor was crowded with a merry crowd until midnight, the music by the Marquette orchestra winning much applause and many compliments. The policy of the Stars in admitting ladies free is winning the favor of the fair sex and everyone is boasting for the success of Dixon's only organized ball team in this venture. Special features have been arranged for tonight and another large crowd is expected.

## COLLEGE TO PLAY DEKALB NORMAL

## LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS TO PLAY FIRST HOME GAME ON SATURDAY.

The Dixon College football team, one of the strongest in recent years, will play its first home game of the season next Saturday at Athletic park, when the fast DeKalb Normal school aggregation will be taken on. Coach Fingal of the college team has perfected the work of the organization and they will put up a classy game.

## LICENSED TO WED

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to John C. Abbott and Miss Tracy B. Faro both of Amboy; Edw. J. Harms of Rochelle and Miss Verna Brattton of Franklin Grove; Chas. Atkinson and Miss Lena Herzfeld of Amboy; Walter E. Fuhs and Miss Eleanor Senneff, both of Dixon.

## Social Happenings

### BIRTHDAY HOROSCOPES.

October 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.

Are bold, determined and fearless. Consider yourself equal to anything and go ahead with all the power on. Have much family pride. There are no people like your own brothers and sisters. Love home; worship father and mother. You are fond of gaiety and pleasure. Are a foe to pressure and humbug. Specious argument has no power with you.

October 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12.

You are just, honest shrewd able, reticent, thoughtful and proud. The secrets and interests of others are safe in your keeping, and see everything that comes your way. Are tenacious, like to advise, and sometimes dictate. Are just and fair and are willing to pay all you owe, and want all you earn. Are conscientious, true and careful in money matters.

Entertained Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams entertained at dinner Sunday Chas. Stevens and family, Harry Heckman and the family of Sahnyide, and the Richard Irionton family at dinner.

To Grand Detour

Mr. and Mrs. John Squires of Mt. Carroll, and guests, Mrs. McCall and Miss Edith Wherritt motored to Dixon and Grand Detour Sunday in the Squires automobile.

Entertained at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. John Bauer and family of Harmon were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bartle at dinner Sunday.

At Colonial Inn

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Byerly and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Reitzel of Sterling, motored to Grand Detour Sunday and took dinner at the Colonial Inn.

Birthday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilbert of Gap Grove entertained a number of relatives Sunday in honor of the birthday anniversary of the host. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warner of the Bend; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rhodes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lileyan and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hill and son Byron.

Hallowe'en Social

The members of the class of the Willing Workers of the Sugar Grove Sunday school will hold a Hallowe'en social next Friday evening and a delightful evening is anticipated. All are cordially invited to attend.

At Dinner.

Mrs. C. H. Lewis entertained at dinner yesterday in honor of Mrs. Howard Lewis of Evanston.

Circle Inspected

Dixon Circle, No. 73, Ladies of the G. A. R., was inspected Monday by our department inspector Alice J. Kauffman of Freeport. She praised the officers highly on the ritualistic work and was more than pleased over the amount of funds in our treasury at this time. A large number of the members were out despite the threatening weather. At the close of the work, ice cream and cake were served and a social time enjoyed.

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### At Woosung Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brookner and Paul Brookner, Jr., were entertained at chicken dinner at the Wiggins home in Woosung Sunday.

### At Dinner

Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Owens entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Batchelder at dinner Monday evening.

### Stjerian Club.

The Stjerian club of the Rebels Lodge met Monday evening with Miss Pauline Brass of Dement avenue. Sewing for the children's home at Springfield was the occupation and a pleasant evening was enjoyed. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

### Guest at Brinton Home.

Mrs. Lewis and three children, who have been visiting Mrs. A. L. Barlow, will return to Evanston on Friday.

### Social Concert.

A social concert will be given at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening to which all are invited. Frank Kennedy of Sterling will sing.

### Changed Residence.

Mrs. Elizabeth Moyer has moved from 204 West Fellows street to 215 Hennepin avenue.

### Senneff-Fulps.

Miss Eleanor Claire Senneff and Walter F. Fulps were united in marriage at a pretty home wedding at 4:30 p.m. yesterday at the home of the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Senneff, in Palmyra. Rev. Geo. Smith of the Evangelical church performed the ceremony, at which only relatives were present. The home was artistically decorated in pink and white, white wedding bells predominating.

The bride was charmingly gowned in white albatross trimmed in lace and satin. The couple was attended by Hugh Senneff, brother of the bride, and Miss Beth Williams, who was prettily gowned in a gown of white embroidery.

Miss Lillian Heffley played the Bridal Caorus from Lohengrin just before the ceremony.

After the ceremony light refreshments were served.

The bride and groom spent the night in Dixon with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fulps, but recently married, and left this morning for Chicago for a short trip. The bride's traveling dress was brown. On their return they will reside in Dixon where both have a large number of warm friends.

Mrs. Fulps is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Senneff and by her attractive personality has won a place in the hearts of her many friends.

### Bratton-Harms.

Edward J. Harms of Rochelle and Miss Verna Bratton of Franklin Grove were married yesterday at the M. E. parsonage at noon by Rev. F. D. Stone. Both young people are popular in the communities in which they reside and will receive the congratulations of many friends.

### Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Faber of the Chicago road, entertained a number of friends at dinner last evening and afterwards cards were enjoyed.

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Mrs. Emma Hanlon and Mrs. Adie Hillis were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young.

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Mrs. Addie Bovey, Mrs. Theo. Wilson and Mrs. S. D. Eastwood were entertained yesterday at the home of Mrs. Chas. Johnson at Grand Detour.

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Mrs. J. N. Sterling entertained the members of the Kaboth club yesterday in honor of Mrs. O. B. Blackman.

### MARRIED AT NOON.

Harry A. Cullins of Sterling and Miss Anna Wilms of Rock Falls were married at noon today at the parsonage of the M. E. church, Rev. Stone performed the ceremony. The couple was unattended. The wedding is a surprise to the Sterling friends of the couple, where they are very highly esteemed.

### Scramble Tea Postponed

The scramble tea to have been given by Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S., next Thursday evening, will be held Wednesday instead of Thursday evening, and it is hoped all members and their friends will attend.

### Ideal Club

The members of the Ideal club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Henry Leydig, 1522 W. Third street. All the members but two were present to enjoy the pleasant afternoon. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Floyd Teachout. Miss Elizabeth Hiller gave a reading "Report of Sicily," which was very enjoyed. Mrs. Hiller reads in a natural and charming manner and her readings are always in great de-

mand. Mrs. L. W. Miller then gave a paper, "American Artists," and she had some reproductions of pictures by these artists, which made the paper very interesting indeed. Delicious refreshments were then served by the hostess and a social hour enjoyed. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Blake Grover.

### Married at High Noon

At high noon today at the parsonage to St. Paul's Lutheran church, George Yost of Mendota and Miss Mary M. Eich of West Brooklyn were united in marriage, Rev. F. D. Altman officiating. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Bittner of West Brooklyn.

After the ceremony the couple dined at the Dixon Inn, and left this afternoon for West Brooklyn. Both young people are popular in the circles in which they move and will receive the congratulations of their friends.

### W. C. T. U. Meets Thursday.

There will be a meeting of the W. C. T. U. on Thursday afternoon instead of Friday, as planned. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Henry Hintz. All members who have conveyances and those who have sent word they would go should meet promptly at 1 o'clock at Miller's music store.

### Entertain Dorcas Ladies.

Mrs. Chas. Thomas and Mrs. Bittner will entertain the Dorcas ladies and their friends Thursday afternoon at the home of the former 313 Sherman avenue. A large attendance is hoped for.

### Bush-Kelsey.

Another Dixon couple was joined in the bonds of matrimony today when Oscar W. Kelsey and Miss Ethel M. Bush, both residents of this city, were married by Rev. Fred D. Stone at the Methodist parsonage at 10 o'clock. Miss Bush is a very estimable young lady who has many friends. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Bush, Mr. Kelsey has also lived in Dixon all his life and is admired by all who know him. He is employed by the Illinois Central in Dixon.

After a short wedding trip the happy young couple will take up their residence on West First street Dixon.

### Mrs. A. L. Barlow

entertained to day for Mrs. Howard Lewis of Evanston.

### Birthday Surprise.

Miss Katherine Hauser gave a birthday surprise last evening to Miss Hazel Noble, which proved most enjoyable affair.

### Bridge Luncheon.

Mrs. Fred Dimick will entertain thirty guests tomorrow with a bridge luncheon for Mrs. Minnie Tucker Griffin.

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## City In Brief

Norman Eichenberg returned yesterday from a visit with friends in Freeport.

Mrs. Joseph Lett has returned to her home in Sublette after a visit at the home of her son, Max Lett, in Dixon.

Mrs. Annie S. Grimes has returned from Chicago where she purchased one of the latest Shelton hair dryers, which she had installed in her hair dressing parlors.

Miss Lorna Dement will go to Waukesha, Wis., Friday, for a visit with her sister.

Mrs. Florence Blake is in Chicago. Irvin Lewis of Route 7, called on Dixon friends yesterday.

Mrs. Z. W. Moss and Miss Nonie Rosbrook went to Chicago today. Rosbrook went to Chicago today.

H. G. Reynolds and daughter, Miss Lucile, left today for Atlantic City.

By Republican Rally Thursday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Fenton B. Turck have taken up their residence at New York, moving from Chicago. Mrs. Turck was formerly Miss Avis Paine of this city.

Lyle Ream of Chicago spent Sunday in Dixon, visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Harvey Boyer, of West Dixon.

Physical Director Charles Webster of the Y. M. C. A., went to Chicago this morning for a short visit.

Atty. J. E. Lewis of Amboy was a professional visitor in Dixon today.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Haylette of Kansas City, Mo., are guests at the Glenn F. Coe home.

J. W. Sherman of Bryant, N. Y., is the guest of his niece, Mrs. W. C. Mrs. J. M. Batchelder left last evening for a few weeks visit in Missouri with relatives.

Attorney C. H. Wooster of Amboy was here today transacting business.

Jas. Jarvis of Sterling was here last evening.

John Batchelder Jr. went to Chicago last evening to remain during the winter.

H. U. Bardwell has returned from Chicago.

H. O. Wheeler is home from Freeport, where he attended the corner stone laying of the Odd Fellows temple yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. Wasley is ill.

John W. Duffy has gone to South Dakota on business.

Editor Ed Guffin of Pawpaw, the county central committee chairman, was here today.

Dr. Stephenson has rented the W. A. Schuler house on East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook have returned from a few days' visit in Chicago on business.

Carl Thomas, Guy Myers, Harry Ford and Rodney Goff of Sterling attended the baseball bazaar last evening.

Tom Richards was here yesterday from Amboy.

Homer and Forest Mulnix, Brandt Crawford, Albert Mull, Robert Bracken and Harry Bittinger of Polo attended the game today.

Harry White, formerly of this city, is now at Blessing, Tex., where he has land interests.

## Dementtown

A lot of people were disappointed last evening at the F.A.S. fair because the Cubs were not there. Surprising of course that these same people wanted to do the bear with a cub.

Many a man is anxious to entertain because his wife is civil to him only when there's company in the house.

Avery Manges was the recipient of a huge Great Dane dog yesterday. The animal, when coaxed, would stand up on his hind legs and was nearly as tall as his owner. It was while the "pet" was performing this trick that W. W. Gilbert, the insurance man, happened along and, like the other bystanders, began to admire the dog. Finally someone asked Will if he would like to buy it. He answered: "Well I should say not; I've just spent ten cents for meat for the cat, and it wouldn't be a mouthful for a big brute like that." Which illustrates that Mr. G. has a great little eye for the high cost of living.

Man will never understand woman until he figures out why she uses a hairpin to pick a lock, a button hook to open a can, a hair brush to hammer a nail, a napkin to rob a letter box and a cup and saucer to decorate the mantelpiece.

## Quite Some Regret.

(From the Champion of Fair Play.)

We regret to hear that Attorney M. R. Harris has been confined to his bed for some weeks, but his recovery is expected.

## Song of the New Party.

The following contribution is reprinted without comment:

My country 'tis of Me,

Sweet Land of Mostly Me,

Of Me I yell.

Land to which I am sent,

Beyond all argument,

Choose me for president,

Or go to—well!

## A Wonder Eclipsed.

The following true story of a boy, who evidently has attended Sunday school regularly, is just coming to light. The boy was taken to the Wallace-Hagenbeck shows by his father and was especially interested in the performing lions. His excitement knew no bounds when the trainer put his head in the lion's mouth for he yelled at the top of his little voice, "Gee dad, that beats the spots off Daniel!"

## Goose Hollow Letter.

Grandma Perkins went to church in the rain Sunday night and is now confined to her bed with inflammatory religion.

Mrs. Hank Tumms has took in washing by the day or week so long that Hank has been able to save up enough soap wrappers to get a good double jointed fishing rod.

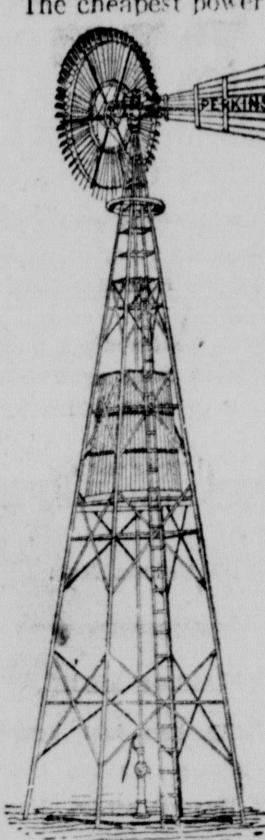
Elmer Spinks is getting quite well acquainted at the city. He can call three bartenders by their first names.

A drummer from Chicago was in our midst the last of the week but whether he is a bass or snare drummer we couldn't find out. However, Miss Amy Pringle, our milliner, says that every drummer is a delusion and a snare.

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## BRITZ of HEADQUARTERS

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CARTOON, MURRAY MURRAY, YARD AND COMPANY

## CHAPTER X.

## Dorothy March Talks.

Matinee girls in the Forrest Theater differ from their sisters of other New York playhouses in that they are far more serious than anybody in the evening audiences. Caranels, marshmallows, chocolate creams are forbidden by the unwritten law of their cult. The utmost nourishment one of them can allow herself is a salted almond nibbled surreptitiously between de-

cerous little outbursts of kid-gloved applause. It is not the sort of gathering in which one would expect to find the bustle sleuth of the headquarters staff, especially with a great diamond mystery on his hands. Yet, on one of those warm January afternoons that make the metropolis wonder if it is being metamorphosed into a winter resort, one of the most interested auditors in the select little theater was Detective-Lieutenant Britz, of Man-

ning's staff. Britz found the somebody he sought when his gaze fell on a slim little figure in the trimmest of dove-colored gowns, sitting in the fifth row off the center aisle. Instantly his last pretense of attention to the play vanished. Keeping his eyes on the gray curves of the girl in the fifth row, he quitted his post at one side of the house and walked slowly to the main exit, whence he watched her until the curtain fell on the first act. Meanwhile, he scribbled on a card, slipped a liberal tip into the receptive hand of an usher, and indicated the object of his interest. When the curtain fell on the first act, the usher hurried down the aisle, and presented the card to the girl in gray.

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"Oh, great deal, I should say." Her eyes twinkled. "Of course, I cannot speak with authority—from personal observation."

"I wouldn't ask you to tell me anything about Ward McAllister from personal observation, Miss March," said the stenographer on occasion was the wonder of the Central office.

Dorothy looked alarmed. Could it be great detectives wasted time on compliments, too? But a side glance at the detective's serious expression reassured her. It was manifest even to a debutante he had no idea of making an impression along that line. She laughed frankly and looked at him again in the friendliest way.

"Isn't it strange?" she said. Then the training of years recalled her to a sense of what she was doing. "I fear

we've been very unconventional, Mrs. Britz," she said as primly as her prettiness permitted. "But I've enjoyed our little chat very much."

"Which means I must be going," said Britz promptly. "If I'm not to spoil your enjoyment of the mid-Victorian scene. The orchestra has finished speaking its little piece."

"Yes, there goes the curtain," agreed Dorothy, rising hastily. "So glad to have met you, Mr. Britz. I hope I've been of some assistance about dear Mrs. Missioner's jewels. Good-afternoon."

"But, Mr. Britz," she cried, "there was something you wished to ask me—something that was to help you find the diamonds?"

"Some other time, Miss March, thank you," said Britz, smiling. "I won't detain you now. Perhaps we'll meet at another matinee soon, with a longer intermission between the acts. Delighted to have made your acquaintance, Miss March. I know you're in a hurry to get back to your seat. Forrest audiences don't like to be disturbed, you know. Good-afternoon, Miss March, and—thank you so much!"

"Don't say my brother, Mr. Britz," interposed Dorothy mischievously. "I—I well, I don't really see how I can be a sister to anybody else." She felt impelled to treat this strangely natural man naturally—she, who despite her inexperience, could freeze presumption with a glance, felt that way. It was a tribute to his adaptability.

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"I Won't Detain You Now."

Snerry's fashionable restaurant in front of which the costly automobile stood. Dimly, through the filmy lace curtains, he saw the figures of those lingering over afternoon tea, with a few early diners. He could not distinguish their faces, but something in the bearing of a woman at the first window held his glance. Then a waiter, moving silently about the table, chanced to part the curtains with his elbow, and in the momentary gap between the folds of film Britz saw the blonde beauty of Mrs. Missioner, and the clear-cut features of Curtis Griswold.

Britz settled himself to wait. The cabman, whose vehicle he was using as a redoubt, looked at him inquiringly, but the detective fished out of his pocket a fat cigar with a scarlet-and-gold band, and in a moment he and the cabby were chatting amably. The headquarters man had not long to wait. Before the cabman had gone far into discussion of the current political crisis, the door of the restaurant across the street was swung open by a boy in many buttons, and Mrs. Missioner appeared on the threshold. She was followed closely by Griswold and Lorimer, the other society artists she had mentioned, were not, he knew, in Mrs. Missioner's circle.

It was fortunate for Lieutenant Britz, as well as for Elmer Holcomb and Doctor Fitch, and everybody whose hopes hinged on the detective's success in solving the great Missioner diamond mystery, that long custom made him thread the traffic of the city's throbbing artery automatically, for so deeply did the sleuth ponder the possibilities of his newest information that he had several close escapes from taxicabs, private automobiles and trolley cars as he crossed Broadway and beat his steps toward Fifth avenue. The cab had cleared a little, but his course was not much plainer than it had been when he dropped into the theater in quest of further knowledge.

"It won't do to call Miss March as a witness," he mused, walking north in the carriage-crowded avenue, with that briskness characteristic of him when his brain was most active. "She can't absolutely prove anything." It was necessary to obtain tangible evidence of Griswold's ability as a draughtsman. How to do so without alarming the clubman was the present problem.

Britz by no means was prepared to suspect Griswold of the robbery. He realized thoroughly that Dorothy's information was all he had to indicate Griswold any more than Sands, or two or three others. He did not even know whether Miss Holcomb could draw, and it was no part of

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With our abundant crops and prosperity in all lines of business in the country, our farmers, our laborers, and our business men are going to think twice before voting for a change in the republican management of our national affairs. The following wise words of Chairman Hilles, of the national republican committee, are worth pondering over by the voter:

Two groups of zealous politicians are crying to the country for a change in our national administration.

They want to take charge of the nation. They want to administer public affairs.

And they promise wildly, eagerly, what they will do in return—if only they are granted control.

From Maine to California, their words fill the air.

And have you, the workers and taxpayers, whose affairs these gentlemen would control, stopped to analyze their proffers and promises?

You should. To the politicians themselves, these proffers and promises are of no special importance. They have nothing to lose. They have everything to gain. Even if they lose, they win; for the contest will keep them in the limelight.

But for you, the workers and taxpayers, this contest is serious business, and you should weigh the consequences with a serious mind. Don't take mere words. Seek facts.

Out of this whirlwind of language which the "spellbinders" send beating about your ears, what is it that stands out, first and all the time?

"We want a change in Washington."

A change for what? To what? The present administration, after nearly four years' hard work, has finally succeeded in restoring the country's business to a prosperous basis.

The mills are running full time. Mines are operating all their shifts. Factories are working to capacity. Commerce is thriving. The country is free of labor troubles and financial troubles.

The working man is steadily gaining better wages. The farmer is growing steadily more prosperous. The market for farm products has never been so broad and generous.

The railroads report the heaviest freight and passenger traffic in their existence. Shipping is everywhere active. Public works on a great scale are everywhere under way. Trade is moving smoothly, in ever-increasing volume. The savings banks are overflowing with money.

The United States is on the threshold of the greatest boom in its history. Within six months, under present conditions, we will dwarf the great period that followed the Spanish War.

And our prosperity will be here to stay, for we are on sounder ground than we were in '98.

The trust problem has been settled—and settled right. "Big Business" has been put in its proper place, and this without halting industry or disorganizing affairs. The currency question is understood as it never has been, and will be solved along sound lines as soon as the heat of partisan political controversy dies down. The tariff is gradually being placed on a business basis, and soon will be out of politics, as it should.

Everything is shaping to give the American people a long, unbroken, unparalleled period of peace and plenty.

And at this time of all others, along come these political gentlemen shouting for a change.

Do you want to change? Do you want to check prosperity just as you are about to pluck its choicest fruits?

Would you, the workers who must pay, commit the mad folly of taking your government out of tried and proven hands and turning it over to the self-seekers who are clamoring for its control?

When President Taft took over the government the country was prostrate. Industry was paralyzed. Business was chaotic, uncertain, suspicious. Millions were out of employment. Investors, wherever possible, had withdrawn their capital. Enterprise was dead.

All this was the result of the panic of 1907, the "talking panic." The "Rich Man's" Panic, it was called. But do you remember any poor man who was not hurt?

It took the Taft administration over three years to repair the damage of this panic. It required infinite patience, skillful management at home and abroad, undivided enterprise, good judgment and vast prudence to bring the country out of that black pit.

And now that the pit is covered, and the country is basking once more in the level sunshine of prosperity, do you want to take a chance on being thrown back? Do you want to take a chance on being talked into another and a needless panic?

The question is not to be settled by talk, no matter how smart. The buzzards of the hustings may make sweet music, but in the background of the future you may hear the mutterings of a people unemployed.

Your family stands with you at the dividing line, which has happiness and prosperity on one side and unhappiness and even want on the other.

If you are a tramp, without kindred and without responsibility, by all means follow the adventurers. But if you own a stake in the country, if you have kith or kin dependent on the job you hold, weigh carefully the words and deeds of those who would lead you in a mad gallop to the precipice of experimental government.

Remember, a change at Washington would mean everything for them. But what would it mean for you?

Would Mr. Taft's defeat help you?

Would the theories, untried and unproven, on which the politicians are seeking to ride into office, benefit your wife and family?

Brush aside all the fine language of the orators long enough to dig out answers to these questions. You will then have a reasonably safe guide on election day, for, like true charity, true politics begins at home. The intelligent man votes for that which is best for himself and those dependent on him, and not for that which is best only for the other fellow. He is not misled by the shadow of the bone in the water.

The American people, for the first time in years, have the bone of prosperity firmly between their teeth. Are they prepared, like the dog in the fable, to drop it, to chase elusive shadows?

## TAFT'S FIGHT IS YOUR FIGHT

President Taft is leading the republican party in a gallant fight to save the protective system to the country and to maintain popular representative government under the Constitution.

President Taft's fight is the fight of every republican. Under the banner of the republican party this country has prospered for over 50 years, save only during the four years when the democrats were in control of the government. It would mean the ruination of business to suddenly change from the protective system to the free trade laws which the democrats, in accordance with the declaration of their platform, would promptly enact. With manufactured articles and cereals upon the free list as proposed in the tariff bills passed by the democratic house and courageously vetoed by President Taft, many factories will be closed. Not only would there be an army of idle workmen, thus destroying the home market for the farmer, but the latter would also be forced to contend with the influx of foreign grain admitted duty free. Manufacturers would suffer, but the greatest injury would fall upon the farmer, who has not always capital to tide over hard times.

The fight which President Taft is making is more than a fight for the republican party. It concerns every American citizen without regard to political affiliations. Upon the outcome of the contest depends the preservation of our institutions and of national prosperity.

IRS. ALICE DALEY  
DIED IN CHICAGO

Decased Had Been Dixon Resident  
For Several Years Until Taken  
to City for Treatment.

Alice Daley, wife of the late Jas. T. Daley, passed away Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home of her sister, Mrs. Della Granger, 7005 Groop St., Chicago. The deceased had been a resident of Dixon for a number of years. Her husband preceded her in death some five years ago.

The deceased had been ill since last April. She spent two months in the Dixon hospital and then was taken to Chicago, to the home of her sister.

She leaves three brothers and three sisters: Mrs. Brannon, Joliet; Mrs. Hayward, DesMoines, Iowa; Mrs. Granger, Chicago; John, Edward and Will Ingoldsby, all of Chicago.

The funeral was held at 9 a. m. yesterday at St. Brandon's church, Chicago, and burial was at Mt. Olivet.

THE MEAT OF THE NUTS THAT  
WISE MEN CRACK—WHEN?

When a man is sick does he call in three or four doctors and invite quotations on what each will charge or curing him? And does he further demand that they charge so much per cubic inch for the liquid doses prescribed?

When an architect is called on to design a palatial residence for a printer is he expected to charge by the number of square feet in the building?

When a man buys rugs for his house or office does he call the carpet man up and ask his rate per square foot for rugs, regardless of whether they are the Pluto grade or the common or garden variety?

When—Oh, what's the use! Nobody is ever expected to sell a product requiring brains and skill by superficial measurements or the square inch without regard to quality, except printers.—John F. Tobin in *The American Printer*.

## BIG AND COMMENDABLE THINGS

From the Easton, Pa., Press.

Hundreds of people have been misled by gross misrepresentations to which Taft has been subjected by political enemies. They seem to have become imbued with the idea that Taft has done little or nothing in the four years he has been president which is of value to the public. That is a wholly erroneous impression.

He has done many big and commendable things.

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## TOO MUCH JACK JOHNSON.

Jack Johnson, the negro champion heavyweight pugilist of the world, has been having some rather strenuous and unpleasant experiences the past few days in his efforts to keep out of the way of those who are at last disgusted with his miserable conduct. Had Johnson lived in any southern city his nimble legs would have had all they could do to keep the neck of their owner from getting inside the noose of Judge Lynch's rope.

Johnson has had the admiration of both the white and black races because of his prowess as a prize-fighter. The game, however, has netted him a big income and has given him a bad case of swell-head. He has used his pugilistic fame for personal gain from other sources. He astonished the world a couple of years ago by marrying a well known and supposedly respectable white woman. Soon after he opened the Cafe Champion, on the south side in Chicago, and if all reports are true some of the orgies carried on in that hole by his admirers, black and white, made the place a veritable cesspool of iniquity. At any rate Johnson's white wife tired of being queen of her black man's palace and ended her troubles by suicide. Nervousness and temporary insanity were given as the cause, but it is hinted that her husband had not treated her kindly.

The latest charge against the black champion is that he has traduced a nineteen-year-old white girl. He now puts up the defense that he wants to marry her. If state authorities in Chicago can prove what they believe to be true, the black man will be liable to a fine of \$10,000 and ten years in prison. And many think he ought to get both. He is charged with bringing pretty Lucile Cameron to Chicago from her Wisconsin home for illicit purposes, and interstate traffic with women is a pretty serious offense. The part of the affair that is both disgusting and pitiful is that the little white girl, who has been kept in jail pending the investigation, has been crying her eyes out for her big black sweetheart, and that she refuses to give any incriminating testimony against him.

The negro says he has a right to marry anyone he pleases, black or white and makes the boast that "the best white women in Chicago ride with me in my car." This statement has raised a storm of indignation among club women of Chicago, and among the men also, and Johnson's neck is none too safe until the feeling dies down.

Chicago club women threaten to demand Johnson's banishment from the city, fearing that should he go unchained it will embolden others of his race.

Of course Johnson is an American citizen, and he should get his rights. A fair trial should be given him, and if he is found guilty he should get the knout. The white race is disgusted with the negro's private life and the pugilist's shining popularity. As he terms it, with white women has not made him any too popular with his own race.

The negro ought to ostracize him and if the charges against him are proven true, he should be barred from the fighting ring.

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## BUYS HANDSOME HOME.

Allen S. Smith has just bought the property known as the Finny home on East Everett street, North Dixon. This property was recently sold by Mrs. Finny to Chicago people at a price of practically \$20,000 and the Chicago people yesterday sold it to Mr. Smith who with his family will move into the property.

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If Taft republicans vote for Wilson with the idea of eliminating Roosevelt they will only increase the size of Wilson's vote and help make Roosevelt second in the race. This would leave him in virtual possession of the republican party, which is the end he is striving for. The most effective way to prevent this is for republicans to stick to their party and vote for Taft. If by so doing they do not succeed in electing him, they will at least insure Mr. Roosevelt third place and preserve the republican party for future years of usefulness.

—Springfield Union.

### REGULAR PRAYER SERVICE

There will be the regular mid-week prayer service this evening at St. Paul's Lutheran church.

### Dr. Piper.

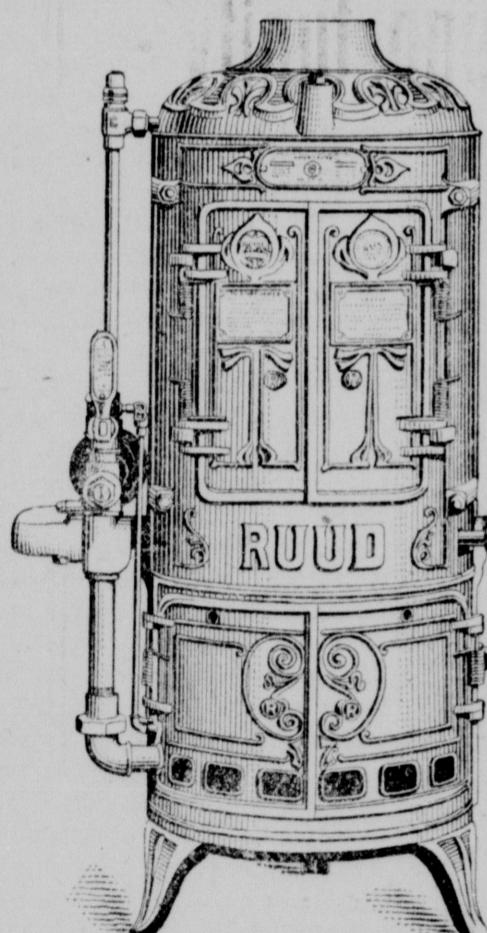
Dr. R. S. Piper of Chicago was here again Monday, Oct. 25, filling his regular monthly professional engagement. There has not been at any time a specialist who has visited Dixon who has been so entirely in harmony with the people as has Dr. Piper. For almost two years he has made regular visits to this city and among his numerous patients all have naught but words of praise for him.

By Republican Rally Thursday evening.

Attorney General Stead will be the speaker at the big republican meeting at the Armory tomorrow evening.

# Hot Water

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### THE SIMPLICITY OF IT.

This water heater accomplishes its work without any attention.

It's merely a copper coil, a gas burner and two valves to govern the gas supply. When the water is turned on at any hot water faucet the pressure valve opens. This turns on the gas, which is lighted by a tiny pilot light. The copper coil through which the water passes is directly over the flame and by the time the water has passed through the coil it is steaming hot. As long as the gas is burning the coil grows hotter and hotter, if the flow of water is so slow as to permit it, so when a certain temperature is reached, an automatic temperature regulator closes down another valve and turns down the gas.

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With the Heater in the cellar, if you want a tubful for the bath, or several for washing, or a cupful for shaving, or any quantity for any purpose arising in the house, at any hour of the day or night, turn the hot water faucet in any room and you will get it. Leave the faucet open as long as you need hot water. The beauty of it is no more water will be heated than is actually used.

We'll tell you more about it at our Display Rooms.

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## Dramatic Notes

### OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT.

The heavy advance sale of seats points to capacity business tonight at the opera house when the public will view for the first time in this city, *The Common Law*, a dramatization of Robert W. Chambers' celebrated novel of that name. The production which, scenically and artistically is one of the finest made, has been done by A. H. Woods, and has caused the greatest interest wherever it has been seen and the consensus of opinion is that from the standpoint of absorbing interest and gripping fascination, the play is superior to the novel. Mr. Chambers has written powerfully and his story has reached the eyes of millions of people, but the big dramatic situations he has indicated in his book must be seen upon the stage to be appreciated.

### COMMON LAW IS A

#### WONDERFUL PLAY

The Common Law, the play to be produced for the first time in Dixon at the opera house this evening, is one of the most wonderful plays to be seen here this winter.

It is a queer, odd sort of a play. You probably have never seen one like it before. Those who have read the story is written by Robert W. Chambers in the *Cosmopolitan* will let nothing prevent your being at the opera house tonight. Those of you who have not read the story should let nothing prevent your presence, for if you do you will miss a wonderful play. The company is an especially good one, too. It is sent out by A. H. Woods & Co. and it was only by luck and in order to break a long jump that Dixon was let in on the schedule. They played in Rockford last night and from there they go to Burlington, Ia., and then to Kansas City. The company carries four loads of scenery.

By Republican Rally Thursday evening.

### MADAME SHERRY

HERE NEXT WEEK

It is good news to Dixon theatre goers to hear that Madame Sherry, probably the most popular musical comedy in America, will be here next week. Madame Sherry will be seen at the Dixon opera house next Tuesday night. The company is from Woods, Fraze & Ledger, and that means that it will be top-notch.

Attorney General Stead will be the speaker at the big republican meeting at the Armory tomorrow evening.

## DIAMOND PIN GIVEN WARD MILLER BY FANS

### STATES ATTORNEY EDWARDS MADE PRESENTATION SPEECH TODAY.

Ward Miller, Dixon's distinguished member of the Chicago Cubs was the victim of a very happy surprise when he stepped to bat in the first half of the first inning of today's game between Dixon and the Cubs, for before he had an opportunity to size up any of Alderman Lange's spitters, States Attorney Edwards stepped up to the plate with the air of a man about to address a jury.

He stopped Mr. Miller's preparations to knock the cover off the ball and in a very short talk, in which, however, he amply covered the regard and appreciation in which Dixon fans hold Ward's success on the diamond, he presented the fast centerfielder of the Cubs with a handsome diamond pin, the present of a number of fans of the city who contributed to the good cause this morning. Needless to say the speech and presentation were greeted with tumultuous applause on the part of the spectators.

## ONE DOSE RELIEVES A COLD--NO QUININE

### PAPE'S COLD COMPOUND CURES COLDS AND GRIPPE IN A FEW HOURS

You can surely end Grippe and break up the most severe cold either in head, chest, back, stomach or limbs, by taking a dose of Pape's Cold Compound every two hours until three consecutive doses are taken.

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### DISPLAY LARGE CABBAGE.

There is on display at the Downing grocery store an immense cabbage, measuring 18 inches across and weighing 18 1/2 pounds. The vegetable was grown by Mr. Thurn who resides near Sterling. It is a fine specimen and would contribute to several boiled dinners.

### Y. M. C. A. WAS HOSPITABLE

The members of the Chicago Cubs and Dixon All-Stars baseball teams were donated the use of the bath and pool at the Y. M. C. A. today, a courtesy which the players appreciated greatly.

By Republican Rally Thursday evening.

Members of the M. W. A. and other assessment insurance companies have something to think about. Old line insurance in a company like the Northwestern Mutual Life is safer, better and cheaper in the long run. There is no better proposition. Write to Joy O. Hovey, Dixon, Ill. 1

Frank S. Altman, civil engineer of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Altman, 114 Second street.

# Republicans of Illinois

The Republican candidates of Illinois were nominated by direct vote of the people. The Progressives were not. The Republican candidates represent the State at large. No section is favored.

LAWRENCE Y. SHERMAN, Springfield, U. S. Senator  
CHARLES S. DENEEN, Chicago, Governor  
JOHN G. OGLESBY, Elkhart, Lieut. Governor  
C. J. DOYLE, Greenfield, Secretary of State  
JAMES S. McCULLOUGH, Urbana, Auditor of Public Accounts  
ANDREW RUSSEL, Jacksonville, State Treasurer  
WM. H. STEAD, Ottawa, Attorney General  
JOHN C. MCKENZIE, Elizabeth, Congressman  
MAJ. A. T. TOURILLOT, Dixon, Representative

They stand for progress, honesty and efficiency. THE NEW PARTY APPROVED THEIR RECORD WHEN IT OFFERED TO MAKE THEM ITS NOMINEES IF THEY WOULD DESERT THE REPUBLICAN PARTY.

The next Legislature will be the most important in ten years. It will elect TWO UNITED STATES SENATORS and re-apportion the Congressional and Legislative Districts.

DON'T FORGET THAT!

## WARD MILLER FINED \$50 BY MURPHY

Attorney General Stead will be the speaker at the big republican meeting at the Armory tomorrow evening.

J. W. Payne of Amboy was a visitor in Dixon today.

CARPENTERS ATTEND GAME

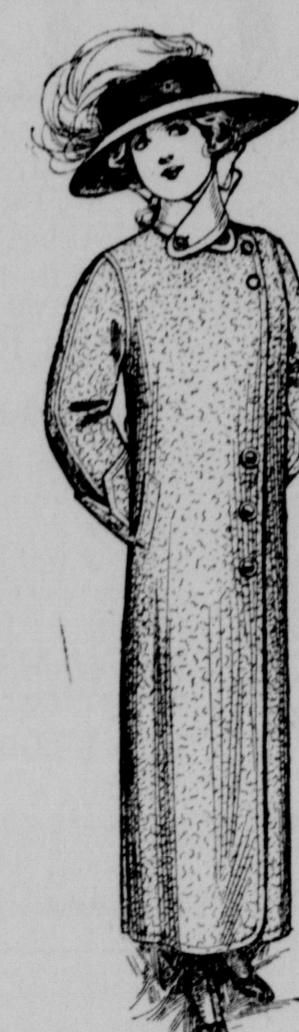
The Carpenter's Union, No. 790, of this city, at a meeting last evening, voted that they would not work this afternoon in case the Cub-All Star game was pulled off as scheduled.

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WANTED, To buy secondhand show case. Telephone 400. 42tf

WANTED, You to watch for the Telegraph's dictionary offer.

WANTED, First class shoe repairing. All kinds of foot-easers. Polish for white and black shoes. Shoe strings and insoles. H. Beckingham, 108 Hennepin Ave. 80ft

WANTED, Competent girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. S. W. Lehman, Bluk Park. 38tf

WANTED, 500 men 20 to 40 years old wanted at once for Electric Railway motormen and conductors; \$60 to \$100 a month; no experience necessary; fine opportunity; no strike; write immediately for application blank. Address Care of Telegraph. 3520\*

WANTED, To exchange a good hard coal burner for a couch in good condition. Telephone 1024. 493

WANTED, Live hustling salesman for Illinois and nearby territory to handle a high grade subscription proposition. Call on business men exclusively. Men now employed making \$25, \$50 and up weekly. Address W. A. Clink, 1705 Kesner Bldg., Chicago. 493\*

FOR SALE, Thoroughbred Jersey bull calf, ten months old. D. H. Spencer. Phone 12867. 38tf

FOR RENT, Good 6 room cottage at 1301 W. 6th St. Rent reasonable. Enquire 1724 W. 3rd St. J. L. Drummond. 473\*

FOR SALE, 40 acres of irrigated land near Brighton, Colo., eighteen miles from Denver. Enquire of Mrs. Lillian Morse, Dixon, Ill.

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Only \$11 round trip to see my unimproved land now selling at an average price of \$16 per acre. Terms \$50 down and \$10 per month. Call or send for illustrated literature and map—free. Two excursions each month. G. W. Swigart, 11 W. Third St., Sterling, Ill. A. W. Winberg, Manager. 4224

FOR SALE, Farm of 147 acres situated one-half mile west of milk factory. Suitable for dairy farm. Enquire of W. D. Drew, 90 Peoria Ave. 85tf

### For Sale or Exchange.

10 acre fruit and poultry farm 1 1/2 miles south of Parkersburg, Ill. on Edwards county line, 80 rods from school and public road, pretty location, land productive and nearly level, 3 room house with closets and cellar, water and pump in house, good well with pump at door; good roomy barn, two hen houses and smoke house. Fruits: 1 1/4 acres strawberries, lots of all kinds of small fruits, 38 cherry trees, some bearing, small orchard, 100 choice bearing grape vines, shade trees at house, farm well-fenced and a very nice little home. Will consider a trade for good rental town property in Lee Co. of equal value. Price \$1100; worth more, but wish to spend my days in Lee Co. N

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For sale or trade, at a bargain, 120 acres, small barn and house, four and one-half miles from market; in Lee County, Ill., would accept half trade. Price for short time only \$75.00 per acre.

F. E. STITELEY CO., 223tf Dixon, Ill.

FOR SALE, For \$1.00 will send complete list Texas School Land for sale, describing location, name of county, number of acres in each, agricultural, grazing, mineral, timber, price and how to secure, etc. Geo. M. Morse Land Co., Waco, Texas. 2524\*

FOR SALE, Will sell my 1912 model 6 cylinder, 48 h. p. 5 passenger Mitchell touring car, completely equipped with top, glass front, Press-to-light tank, lamps, horn, tools, etc., and fine waterproof seat covers and top cover, at a big sacrifice. Car has been run but a few hundred miles and is in the finest kind of condition. Apply X, this office, immediately if you want a bargain. 46tf

FOR SALE, White paper for the picnic supper table, 1c a sheet, at the Telegraph office. tf

### FARMS FOR SALE

90 acres, fine land and improvements, not far from Dixon.

220 acres, grain and stock farm, bottom land, good improvements, good road, 5 miles from Dixon, at only \$90. Old, wants to get out of business.

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65 acres in Palmyra, improved, can sell \$25 to \$50 less than farms near. Wants to move away.

Two farms 160 and 420 acres in Red River Valley, Minn., only \$55.

Other farms 30, 80, 120, 170 acres. See me before buying. C. E. Stewart, Countryman Bldg., Phone 206. Residence 13412. 463

FOR SALE CHEAP. Kimball square piano in good condition; also \$30 edison phonograph, almost new. Jrs. DeWitt C. Dauntler, Cor. 2nd & Peoria. 483\*

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT, 8 room house, lights, gas, city and cistern water, furnace. No. 215 Chamberlain. Enquire of Mrs. J. B. Clears. 466\*

WANTED, To borrow \$200 for six months or a year. Good security. \$7 per cent interest. Address N. Care Telegraph. 483\*

FOR RENT, Household furniture, dining table, chairs, bedroom suit, 1 range, 1 hardcoal stove, 1 cupboard, refrigerator. Enquire at 719 W. 2nd St. 483\*

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| 3 cans black raspberries                   | "       |
| 3 cans hominy                              | "       |
| 6 cans oil or mustard sardines             | "       |
| 10 German family soap                      | "       |
| 2 large 3lb cans black raspberries         | "       |
| 4 lbs black prunes                         | "       |
| 6 lbs bulk starch                          | "       |
| 2 lbs coffee                               | "       |
| 1 lb good fresh mixed tea                  | "       |
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| 6 pkgs soapade                             | "       |
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### STUDENTS ARE LET OUT

Riotous University Men at  
Champaign Are Dismissed.

Manager of Company Playing at The-  
ater Starts Suit Against City  
for Damages.

Champaign, Ill., Oct. 23.—The coun-  
cil of administration of the University  
of Illinois dealt summarily with first  
offenders in Saturday night's disturbance  
brought before it.

J. K. Vallon of Anna, a sophomore,  
was permanently dismissed from the  
university for being a leader in the  
affray. V. H. Halperin of Chicago, a  
freshman from the R. T. Crane Manu-  
facturing school, was dismissed for  
one year, after which he will be per-  
mitted to return. This mitigation of  
his sentence was given because of his  
youth in the university. These dis-  
missals are the first of a number to  
be made providing sufficient evidence  
can be secured.

Thomas Arkle Clark, dean of men,  
who was out of the city, has returned  
and began an investigation. F. J. Kel-  
ley, manager of the Musical Comedy  
company, which was holding the  
boards Saturday night, retained coun-  
sel and notified the city that he had  
started suits in his own behalf and  
for the members of his company in-  
jured.

### INSURGENT WOODMEN WIN

Iowa Court Sustains Effort to Prevent  
Higher Rates in Body.

Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 23.—The insur-  
gent faction of the Modern Woodmen  
of America scored a victory in their  
first attempt to prevent the putting  
into effect of a new and higher sched-  
ule of rates adopted by the head camp  
at Chicago January 1, when Judge  
Charles S. Bradshaw of the equity  
division of the district court handed  
down a decision, holding the proposed  
change to be null and void. The  
court further held that the amend-  
ments to the articles of the associa-  
tion are illegal because not adopt-  
ed by a two-thirds vote.

### CHIROPODIST

Miss Martha Frye, the Sterling  
chiropractist, who has visited this  
city a number of times during the  
summer, leaving a host of pleased  
patrons behind, announces that she  
will make her October visit the last  
of this week or the first of next. Miss  
Frye is a graduate in every line of  
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### TO CALIFORNIA.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Swigart have  
moved to Montague, Cal.

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